

# MT. LEMMON ECHOES

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*Mt. Lemmon Homeowners Association*

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Remember!!  
Annual Meeting  
June 21, 1980  
Picnic 1:00 P.M.  
Sykes Knob!!

FROM YOUR PRESIDENT!!!!!!

This has been a good year and we have had a good respond to our membership drive, but are short of our goal and would like to impress upon you the importance of becoming a member and pulling together with your neighbors and friends on the mountain. There are projects to be accomplished yet and there has been projects already accomplished. This is all due to people working together. Our goal was 250 members and to date we have 185 and 86 of these are new members. This is something to be proud of. There is still time to get your membership in before the picnic and spend the day with us. This membership dues are good until the last day of December.

We will hold our election of officers on the day of the picnic. If there is anyone of you that would like to serve on the Board of Directors PLEASE!!! notify any member of the present board.

So let's all show up for the Annual Meeting at Sykes Knob and have a good time.

YOUR PRESIDENT,  
JOHN MONTGOMERY

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THE MT. LEMMON WOMAN'S CLUB

Installation of new officers of the Mt. Lemmon Woman's Club was held May 14, 1980 at Regina Rhind's home in Tucson. Southern District President, Mrs. George White and 3rd. Vice President, Mrs. Joseph Cardaro, attended. Mrs. White conducted the installation of the following ladies.... President-- Mrs. Wm. Rhind, 1st. Vice President-- Mrs. Freda Botkins, 2nd. Vice President, Mrs. Charles Mobley, Treasure-- Mrs. Joe Wilhoite, and Secretary, Mrs. Robert Zimmerman.

The Theme for the coming year will be "FUN ON THE MOUNTAIN FOR THE FAMILY". In 1981 the ladies will undertake the celebration of the Mt. Lemmon Centennial.

Wednesday, June 4th. the members met at the home of Madonna Miller, for the first of the summer meetings to be held on the mountain. Plans for the annual July 4th. celebration was made. Kasey Murphey, Fran Zimmerman, and Francie Morse will be in charge of the events.

A flag raising ceremony, conducted by the Boy Scouts will be held at 11 A.M. on Friday the 4th., followed by the BIGGEST LITTLE PARADE in the WORLD. Booths of Arts and Crafts, Tea, Cookies, Homemade Breads, Cotton Candy, Hot Dogs, all kinds of Raffle Contests, and FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!!!!!! will continue on Sat. July 5th.

Plans are being made to have the library opened by the middle of the month.

Nell Copeland ask for and got a committee to assist her in putting together a book she has written on Sara Lemmon in History. This book will also serve as a fund raising project for the Centennial.

Madonna Miller announced she may have found the right place for our Club building. Several ladies drove to the property to inspect it and an offer has been submitted to acquire it. As you can see the Mt. Lemmon Woman's Club has just spent a very active month with more fun and activities coming up.

REGINA RHIND, PRES.

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HILLBILLIES GOES TO THE CITY!!!!

The ladies of the Mt. Lemmon Woman's Club started the FUN ON THE MOUNTAIN Theme by 7 members meeting on Sunday morning May 4th., forming a 3 car caravan and driving to Phoenix. Stepping at Picacho Peak for lunch. Arrival at the Adams Hotel did not go unnoticed, as once we were unloaded, our luggage consisted of 3 large trash bags of pine boughs and pine cones, several big boxes of pots and pans, tablecloths, 2 cases of champagne, 3 ice chests, and an assortment of luggage for 7 women, and a white enamel chamber pot, complete with lid. In desperation the Bell Boy, with 1 luggage cart sent for the Bell Captain. Finally with all of the 7 ladies carrying some of the luggage and both of the luggage carts filled to the capacity, we all started for the desk. It was then the lid of the chamber pot fell off and rolled acrossed the lobby. As it was my chamber pot I retrieved it, but the Bell Captain refused to carry it, so I entered the Hotel carrying the chamber pot. Needless to say our boys were in a state of shock when they found out we had rented the nicest suite in the Hotel plus the connecting room. He kept informing us he hoped we realized that we had the nicest suite in the Hotel, at which we informed him we thought it was right fittin'. Then the fun started, we turned the that nicest room into a Hillbilly atmosphere. Red bandana tablecloth, pine cones, pine boughs, lemons, and the chamber pot became our centerpiece. A pair of overalls decorated the bar, the very loviest of hors d'oeuvres were served in tin pans, wooden bowls, and enamel pots held the Mt. Lemmon Aid and Champagne. All foods were labeled as such, 2 cheese balls decorated as pine cones were labeled as "Mt. Cones", bean dip became "Slightly Smashed Beans", liver pat'e, simply as "Innards", The Champagne as "Mt. Do" and the Lemon Aid as "Mt. Don't", fried pork rinds were as "Mt. Chitterlings", these were tasted hesitantly. Then put all 7 women in the most outrageous Hillbilly costumes and you get the picture. One lady and a rather nose in the air attitude ask "if in order to get all the things to Phoenix did we come in a truck"? She was informed that 2 Cadillac's and a Lincoln Continental had done the job very nicely. After the entire convention had past through the suite and were ready to call it a night, 3 members, 2 barefoot and 1 in a pair of long John's and a plaid shirt only, decided to go through the lobby and to the bar. There is no further need to comment on the looks of astonishment encountered at this point. Next year the Hillbillies will go to the Convention as Pioneers in celebration of the Mt. Lemmon Centennial. And as the Hillbillies will be a hard act to follow we are working on it.

Regina

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FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS

We are ever so greatful to Jimmy Newell and men for using their equipment for putting the Fire Siren on top of the Fire Station for us. It was so easy with their big equipment. So now to get Trico to get the wiring to it. If you haven't seen it, you have to be blind or haven't been through the Village.

The Fire Dept. Auxillary elected new officers, they are Steve Palmer as President and Jonelle Palmer as Sec. & Treas. They are planning on several fund raising projects to buy necessary equipment that the Dept. may not have funds available to buy with. So all of you summer people PLEASE contact some of these people that will be working with this group and help with these projects.

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## FIRE DEPT. CONT.

The Fire Dept. has certain responsibilities to obtain and maintain an Emergency Vehicle and George Sheldon took it upon himself to enroll in Pima College to obtain this training, so that he might be able to operate an Emergency Vehicle and preform First Aid Services on the mountain. He attended classes from Feb. until Mid May 2 nights a week and 3 hours a night and past his finals on May 13, 1980.

The training consisted of Anatomy, Medical Emergency, Food Poisoning, Tramy Emergency, Child Birth, Pedeatric Care, C.P.R., Emergency Vehicle, Driving Equipment and Maintenance, 6 hours. Ambulance Training, and 12 hours Hospital Training. We are very appreciative of George for this and now ALL WE NEED IS AN EMERGENCY VEHICLE. Anyone got any IDEAS???? to obtaining it. Donald Miller has also been certified in Fire Prevention.

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## WATER DEPT. NEWS

It pays to advertise! A lot of folks were kind enough to send in donations for office equipment. It won't be long before we have enough to buy a telephone answering system. Keep'em coming.

The Farm Home Project is nearly complete. I attended the shake down cruise this Saturday. Mike Storms, the contractor, and I watched the pressure meter rise as the pump moved the water uphill through the 4 inch pipe line to Miners Ridge where it will be stored in the 500,000 gallon tank. He kept one eye on the master meter because he had computed that it would take about 2,000 gallons of water just to fill the line up to Miners Ridge Tank. It was at the 2,000 gallon mark that the trench in front of the Sabino Tank erupted like Mt. St. Helens spewing mud and dirt when a connection failed. My excellent reflexes got me to safety while Mike scrambled to turn off the pump. The ruptured pipe has been repaired and the system checks out - O.K. Next, Mike will install the chlorinators.

The 220 meters originally contracted for have been installed. In the process Gary Mitchell, our maintenance man, discovered some 20 "new" customers. Welcome aboard! Paid for water isn't quite so sweet, but you can get it down. Gary reports that tank levels are satisfactory in spite of a couple of water losses. In one case there was some vandalism to a meter resulting in over 40,000 gallons of water wasted. With an undetected open pipe it doesn't take long. Gary has had a lot of fun trying to figure out in a few cases who belongs to which meter. There are a lot of old lines which don't match up. It will take a few months to straighten things out. Have patience.

If your water bill is still unmetered, your bill will be marked accordingly and your bill will be for \$12.25 (\$10.00 for the minimum and \$2.25 for the first 1,000 gallons). An average usage for a full time user is 3,000 to 4,000 gallons per month. Fred Keers noticed that when he reduced the pressure to his house (by using the required pressure regulator) he saved over 1,000 gallons per month. If you want to save even more water contact Pima County Waste Water Management and make arrangements for a free water saver kit. A few meters read unusually high but in some cases Gary figures that the green gardens was the reason.

Speaking of money, Fran Zimmerman hasn't received the invoices from the printers. They seem to be delayed in the mail, so it will be a few days before she can send out bills. In the meantime, Gary Mitchell and a few creditors would be ever in your debt if you would whip out the old check book and send in \$10.00 to be applied against your water bill.

I was contacted by a Mr. Brian Kirby, Adjudication Section of the Arizona Water Commission, State of Arizona, in his efforts to investigate a rather old claim made by the Forest Service, as I understand it, to terminate the Co-op's interest in two spring rights located in Upper Sabino Canyon. As you can imagine, this one knocked over the old coffee cup!!

No one on the board seems to remember what this is all about, but a joint meeting is being set up with the Forest Service and the Water Commission and yours truly in attendance. It may be nothing to worry about, but one never knows. More on this next month.

Now, I would like everyone to do three things:

1. Send in a check marked "water" to be applied against your water bill (if you are feeling frisky throw in a separate check marked "donation" for the telephone answering system).

2. Get a pressure regulator installed this month (it's required) and operate on reduced pressure to help the Co-op get through the summer with water for everyone, and

3. Get water saving devices installed which are available at every hardware store in Pima County. They are easy to install if you are a do it yourselfer.

Bob Zimmerman, President  
Mt. Lemmon Cooperative Water, Inc.  
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ADVERTISEMENTS

We had \$55.00 in ads last publication which was great as it helped in cutting the cost of the paper. Again anyone wanting to advertise, these are only \$5.00 the size that you see here. Contact 791-9779 if interested.

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WANTED !!!!!!!!!!!

White Elephants Needed, anyone interested in assisting the Mt. Lemmon Woman's Club on the 4th. of July activity, being in the parade, renting a space for selling crafts, or donating you White Elephants to the arts and crafts booths, Contact Regina Rhind at 326-1267 or Maude Stowe at 791-9715 on the mountain.

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